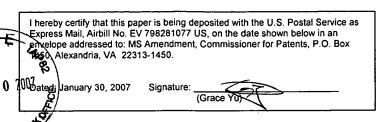
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## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated January 17, 2007, for which a response is due on February 17, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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